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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

For:

Pursuant to a telephone interview with the Examiner and in view of the discussion had during that interview, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims

Cancel claims 13-16, inclusive, claim 37 and claim 38.

REMARKS

Claims 26-28, inclusive, and claims 40-42, inclusive, remain in the application.

A terminal disclaimer vis-a-vis commonly-owned U.S. Patent No. 5,164,369 is enclosed.

It is believed that the present amendment disposes of all potential issues in this case and places the present application in condition for allowance. Early such action is

solicited.

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